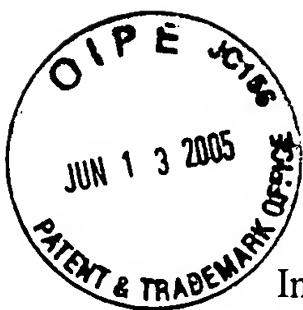


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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on March 10, 2005, please amend the above-referenced application as follows. If any fees for the accompanying response are required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge them to Deposit Account 502190.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.